

FEMA National Watch Center

Daily Operations Briefing

Tuesday, April 2, 2024

8:30 a.m. ET



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National Current Ops / Monitoring

New Significant Incidents / Ongoing Ops

- Severe Weather – Southern Plains & Ohio/Tenn valleys

Hazard Monitoring

- Severe thunderstorms – Lower Mississippi Valley and the Southeast to the Great Lakes and the Mid-Atlantic
- Heavy rain/flash flooding – Tennessee Valley to the Central Appalachians
- Heavy snow – Upper Mississippi Valley and the Great Lakes

Disaster Declaration Activity

- Request: Major Disaster Declaration – OH

Event Monitoring

- No significant events



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Severe Weather – Southern Plains & Ohio/Tenn valleys

Situation: *(IAB #1 as of 5:28 p.m. Apr 1)*

Overnight Region VI reported 3 tornadoes across NE OK, 51 hail reports; 46 in TX and 5 in OK; and 14 wind reports; 11 in TX and 3 in OK. No injuries or casualties reported, but the hail and high winds caused damage to vehicles, structures, and telephone poles. Severe weather is forecast to continue and may include a few significant/long-track tornadoes this afternoon and evening, with highest probability located over the Ohio valley, and extending southward across the Tennessee Valley.

FEMA Response:

Region III:

- MD EOC at Full Activation (Key Bridge); VA & WV EOCs at Monitoring (Wildfires)
- FIT is FMC in WV, MD, and VA
- LNO deployed to MD (Key Bridge)

Region VI

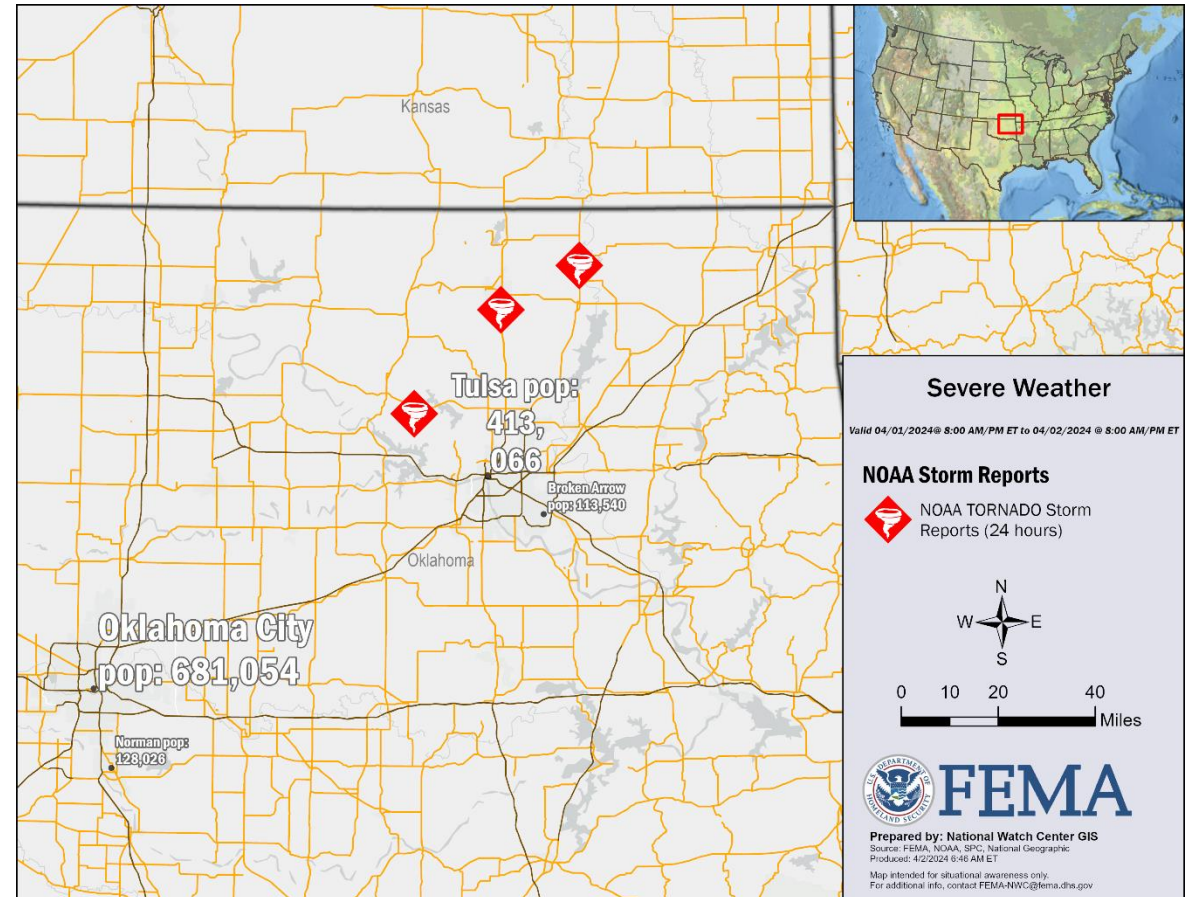
- RWC at Enhanced (Severe Weather)
- TX EOC at Partial (On going Operations)
- OK EOC at Monitoring (Wildfires)

Region V:

- RWC is at Enhanced
- IL and IN FIT available and ready to serve as LNOs;
- OH LNO scheduled to arrive the morning of Apr 2

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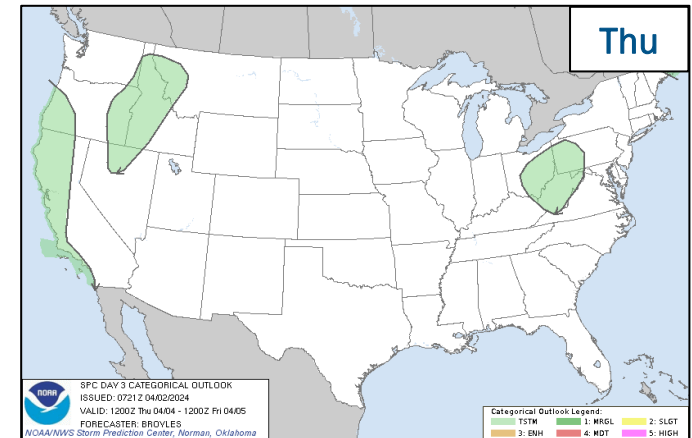
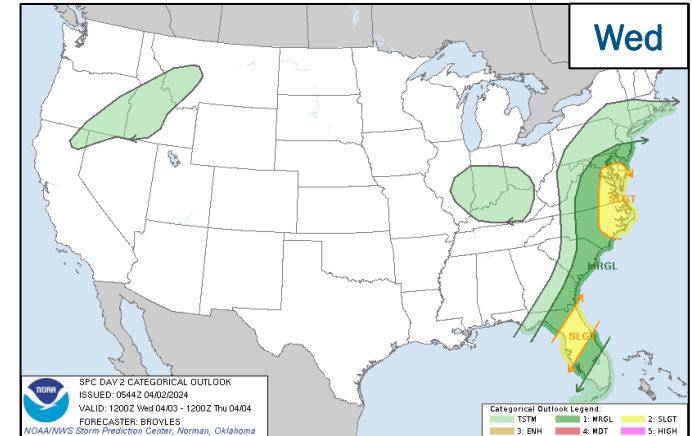
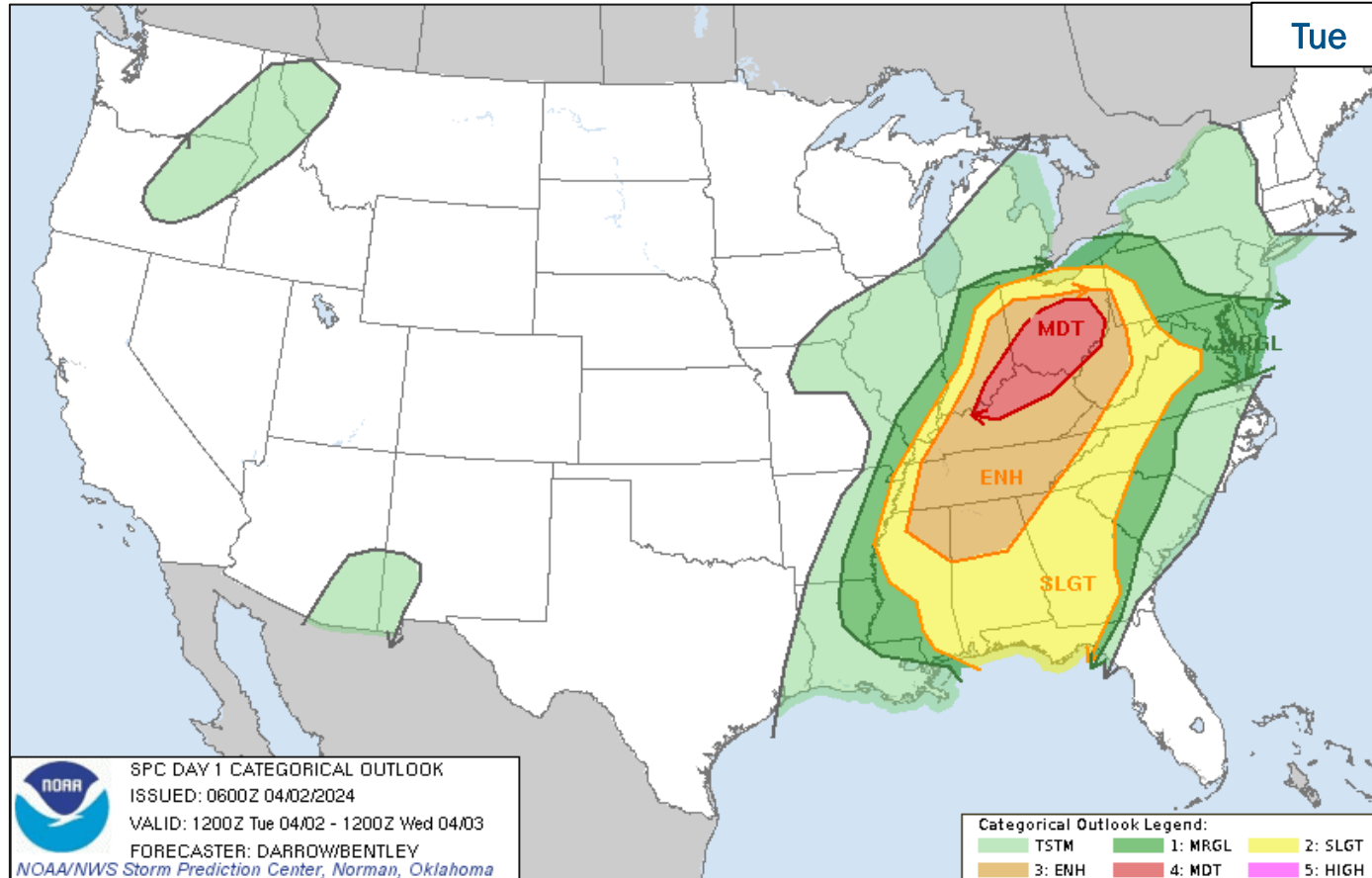
- Conducted FLORRR call for severe weather Apr 1
- FEMA NWC continues to monitor in coordination with FEMA Regions III, V, and VI; the next update will be in the 5:00 p.m. ET National Situation Report



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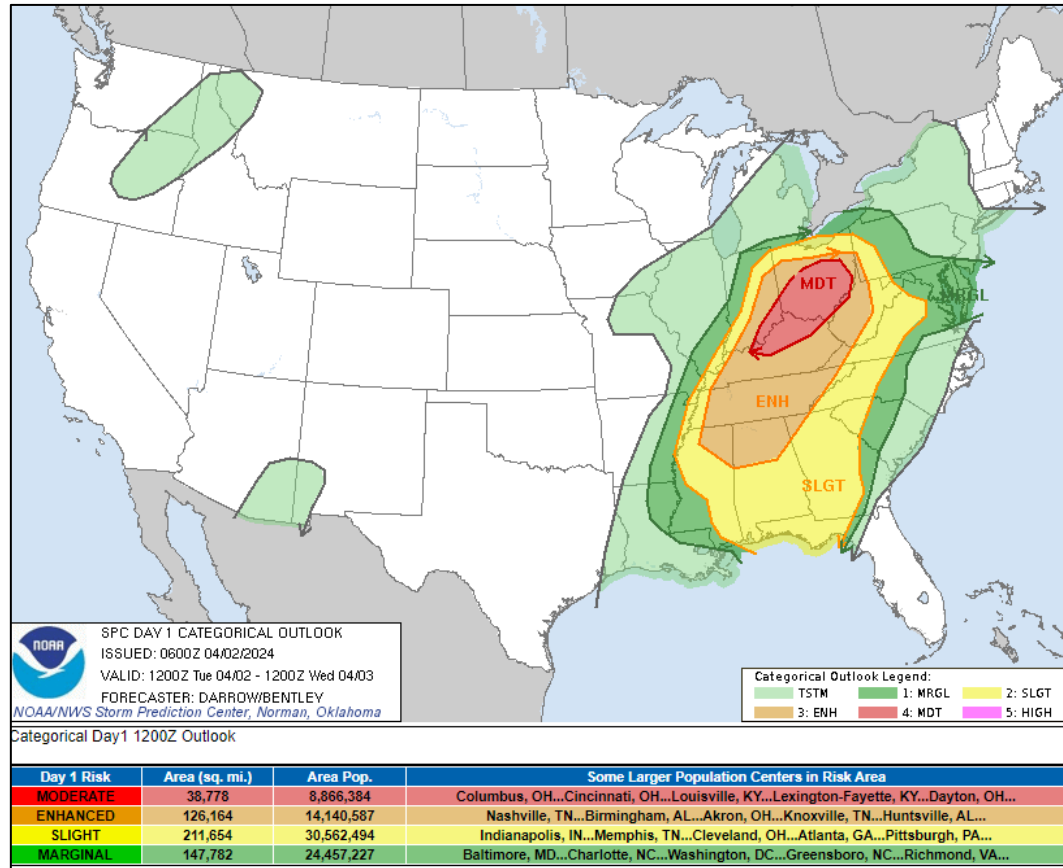
Severe Weather Outlook



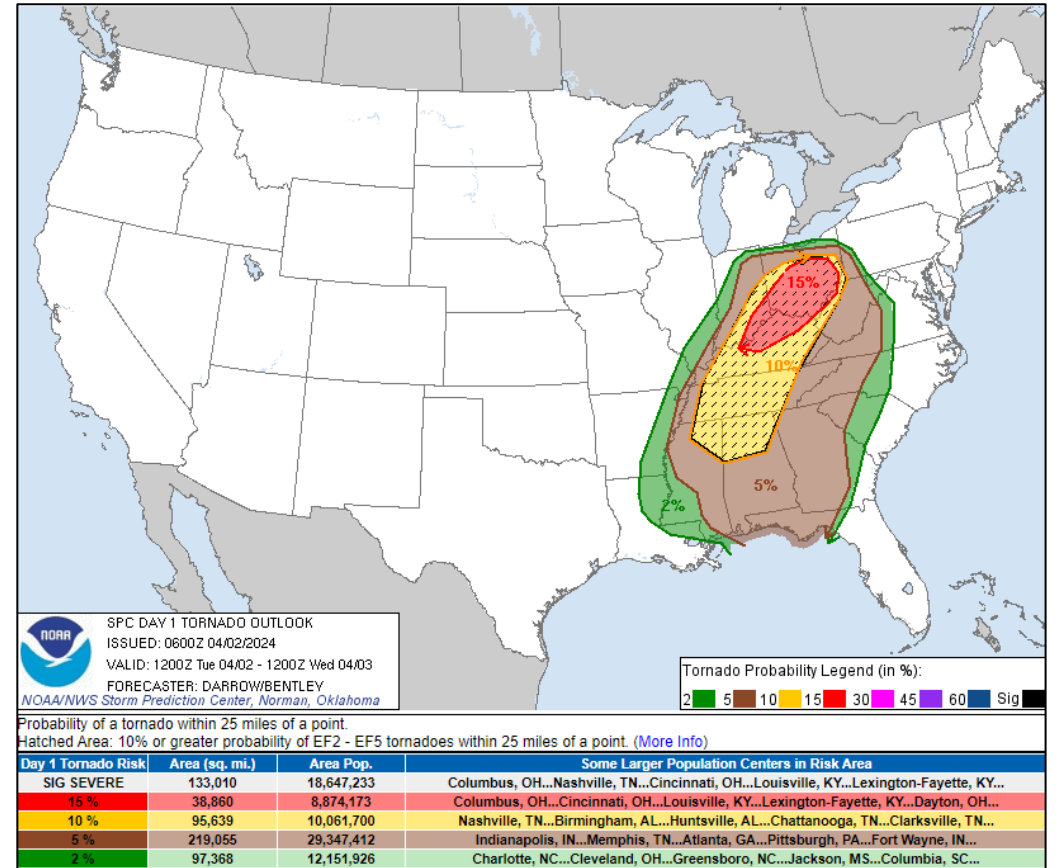
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Severe Weather Outlook – Moderate Risk



Convective Outlook



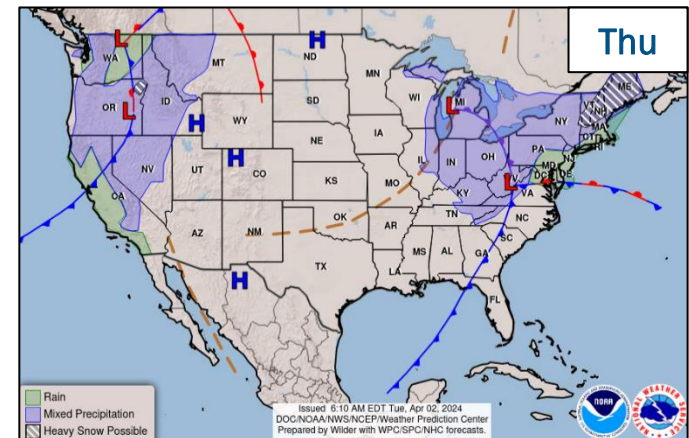
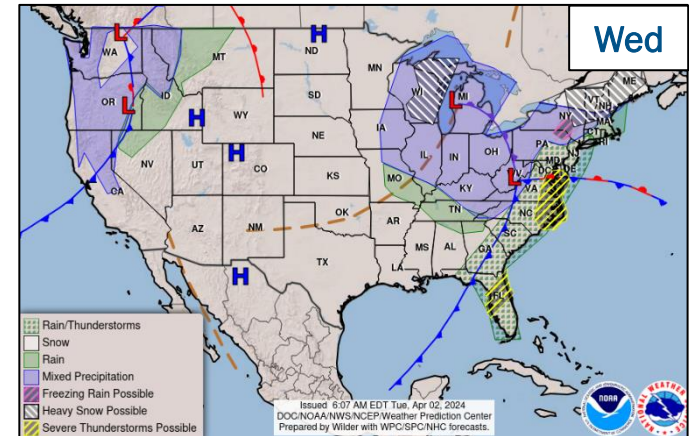
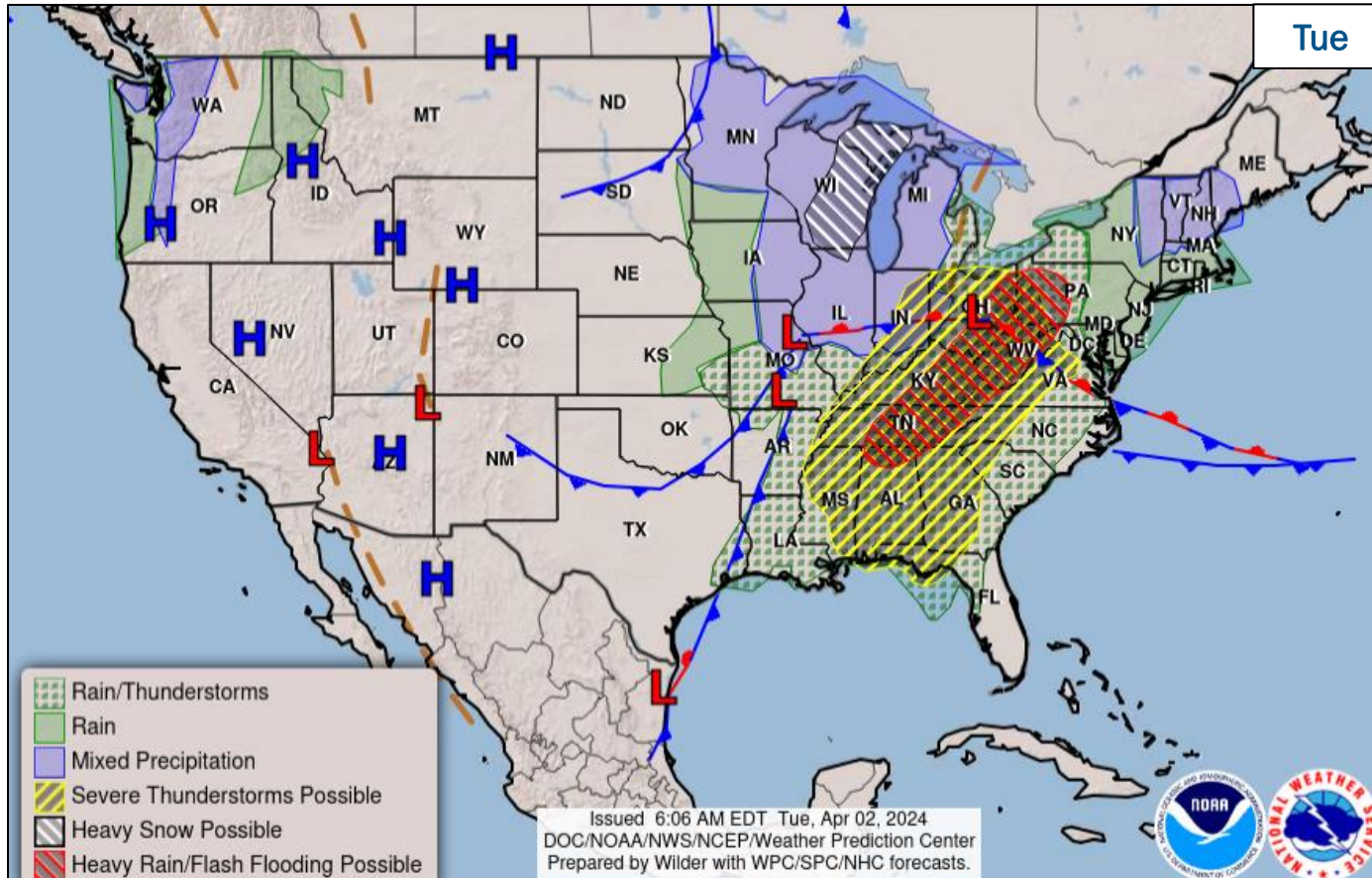
Tornado Outlook



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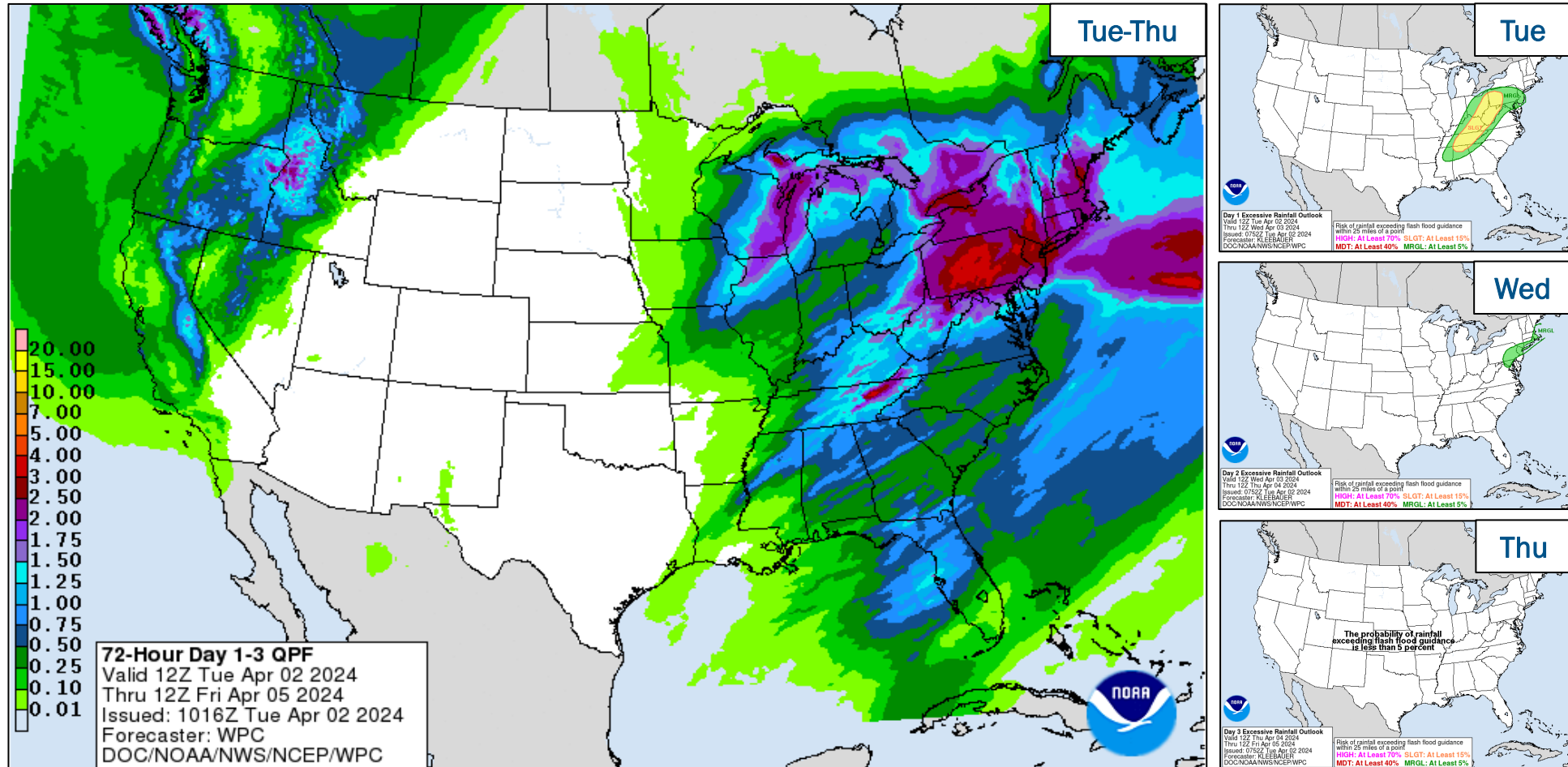
National Weather Forecast



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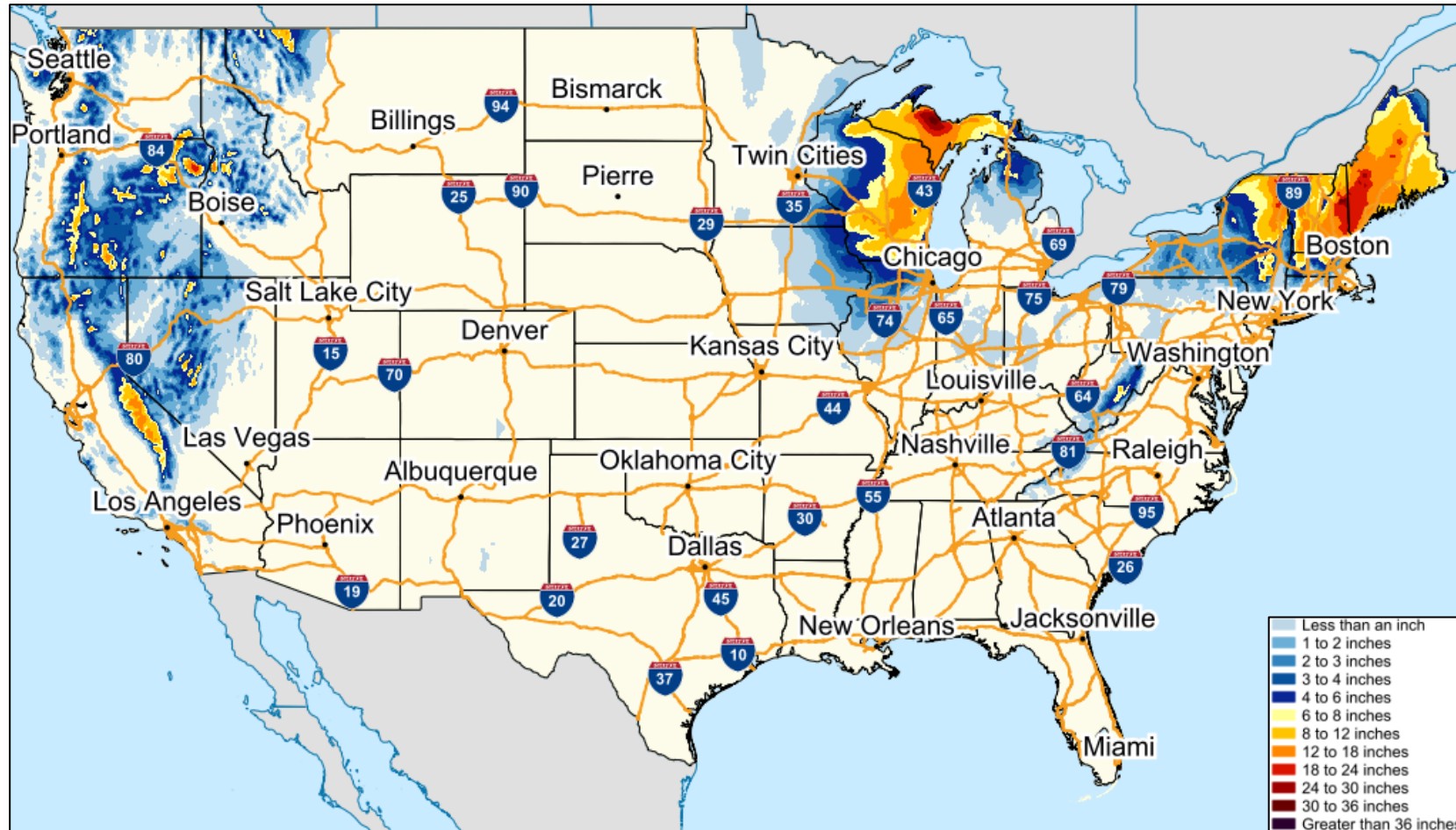
Precipitation & Excessive Rainfall



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Snowfall Forecast

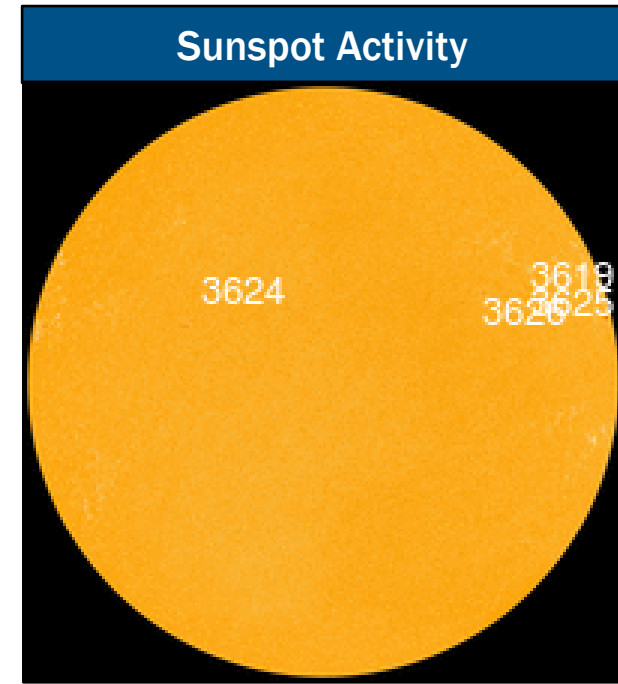
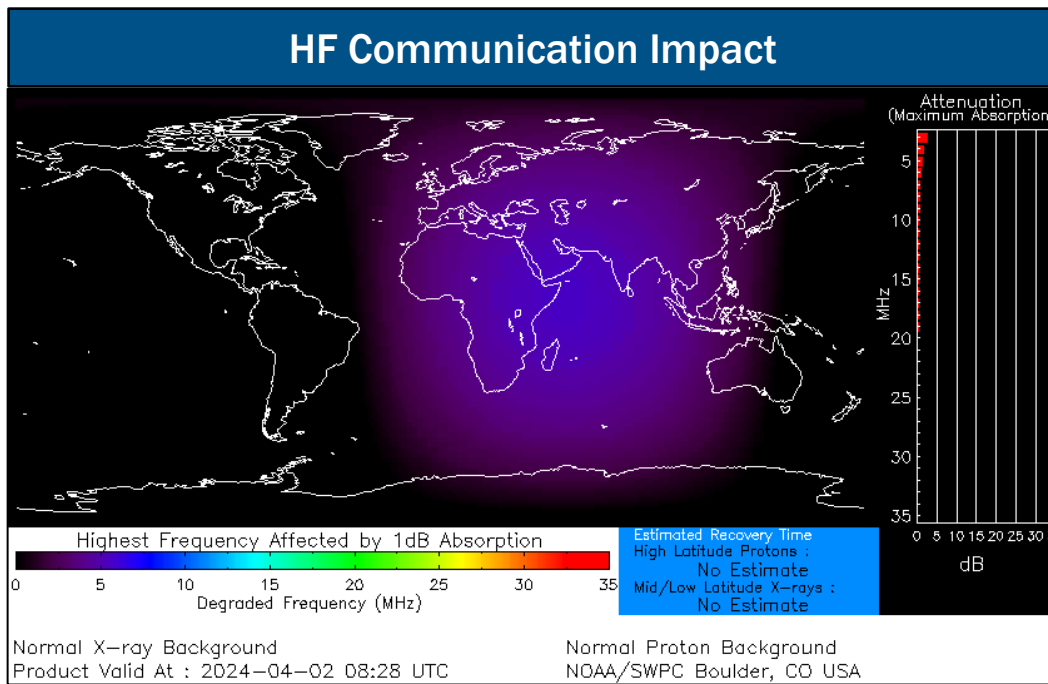


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Space Weather Outlook

Minor	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Solar Radiation	Radio Blackouts
Past 24 Hours	Minor	None	None	R1
Next 24 Hours	None	None	None	None

For further information on NOAA Space Weather Scales refer to: <http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/noaa-scales-explanation>
 For further information on Sunspot Activity refer to: <https://www.swpc.noaa.gov/phenomena/sunspotssolar-cycle>



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FEMA Common Operating Picture

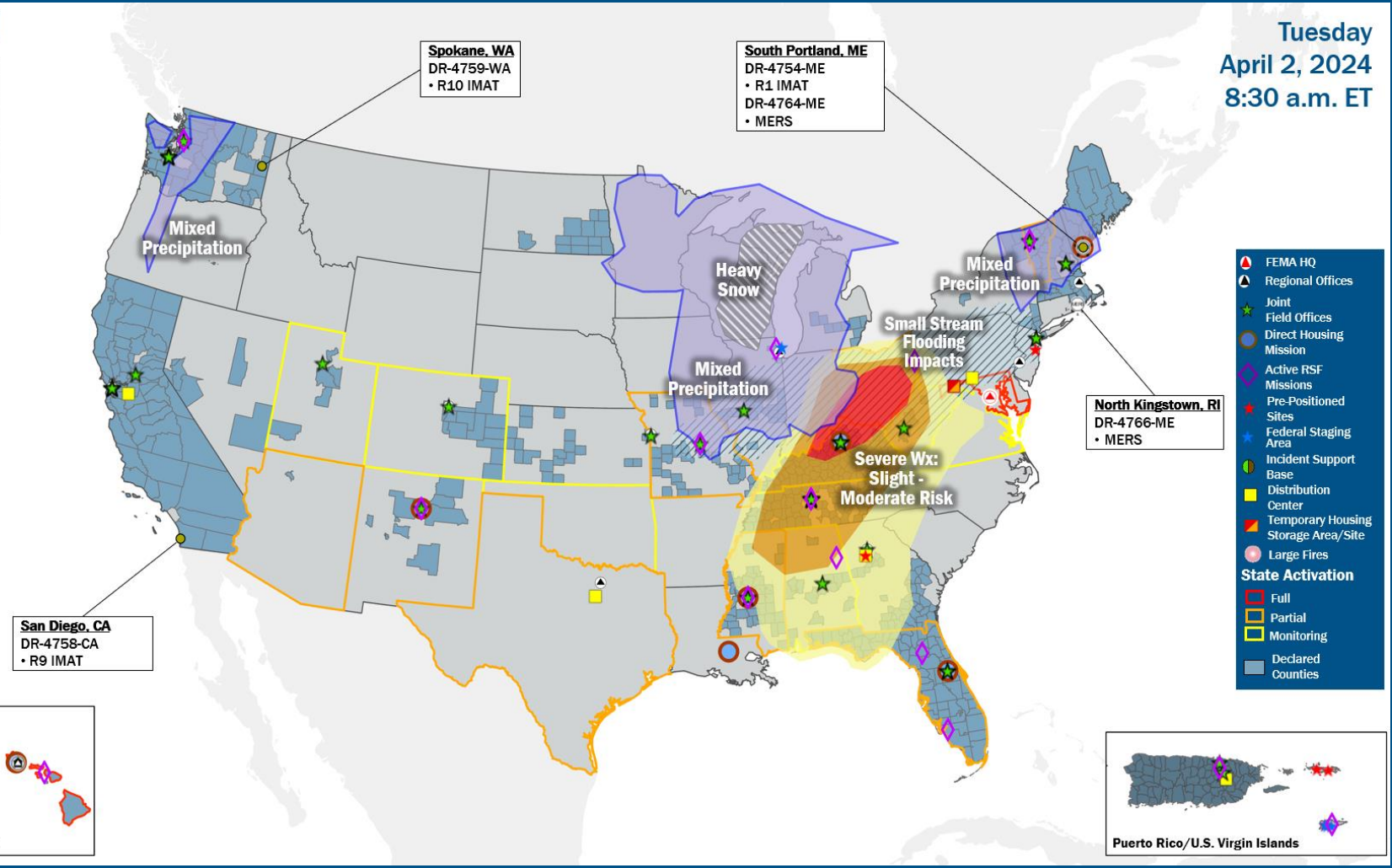
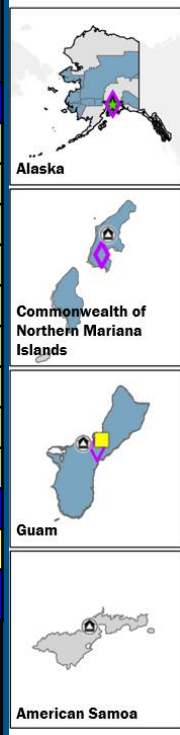
21 + 5 Joint Field Offices Virtual Joint Field Offices Supporting
75 + 2 Major Disasters Emergency Declarations
12 Direct Housing Missions
31 RSF-Supported Disasters

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FEMA HQ	
NWC	NRCC
Monitoring	Activated
FEMA REGIONS	
Watch	RRCC
Monitoring	I Rostered
Monitoring	II Rostered
Monitoring	III Rostered
Monitoring	IV Rostered
Enhanced	V Rostered
Monitoring	VI Rostered
Monitoring	VII Rostered
Monitoring	VIII Rostered
Monitoring	IX Rostered
Monitoring	X Rostered
Notes:	
RWCs/RRCCs/IMATs:	STATE EOCs:
NRCC: Sustained Ops	AL/FL/KY/MO/OH/MS:
N-IMAT HS: Personnel	Severe Weather
RV RWC: Severe Weather	TX: Ongoing Threats
	AZ/CO/UT: SW Border
	HI/OK/VA/WV: Wildfires
	MD: Key Bridge Incident
	VT: Eclipse Preparation
Volunteer Force	
Rostered 7,758 (+3)	Deployed 121 (-4)
Surge Capacity Force	
Rostered 8,388	Deployed 0

N-IMATs	
2-5 Teams Available	
Red	
White	
Blue	
Gold	
HS	
R-IMATs	
≥ 7 Teams Available	
I	ME
II	
III	
IV-1	
IV-2	1
V	
VI-1	
VI-2	3
VII	2
VIII	
IX-1	CA
IX-2	Personnel
X	WA

REGIONAL BREAKDOWN			
	JFO/VJFO	DR	EM
I	4/0	13	2
II	2/1	4	0
III	1/0	1	0
IV	5/1	20	0
V	1/0	3	0
VI	1/0	1	0
VII	2/0	2	0
VIII	2/0	2	0
IX	1/1	18	0
X	2/2	9	0



IM Workforce

13,857 Assigned
 4,308 (+62) Unavailable
 5,081 (-18) Deployed

32% (-1) / 4,468 (-44) Available

IM Cadre Availability

7 Cadres ≤ 25% Availability

Disability Integration: 22% (11/50);
 Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation: 21% (165/800);
 Field Leadership: 19% (28/148); Operations: 17% (57/328);
 Public Assistance: 21% (470/2,209); Planning: 12% (56/463); Safety: 13% (11/82)

MERS

> 66%

36 Assigned
 0 Unavailable
 1 Deployed

35 Available

US&R

> 66%

28 Assigned
 1 Unavailable
 0 Deployed

27 Available

FCO

≤ 1 Type I

48 Assigned
 5 (-1) Unavailable
 36 (-4) (24 FCOR) Deployed

6 (+4) Available

Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State / Location	Incident	IA	Number of Counties		Start - End
			PA	Requested	Complete	
I	RI	Flooding Jan 8-17	IA	3	3	2/15 - 2/22
			PA	4	2	2/26 - TBD
	MA	Flooding Sep 11-13	IA	2	0	3/28 - TBD
			PA	2	0	3/28 - TBD



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Declaration Request – Ohio

Declaration Type: Major Disaster – OH

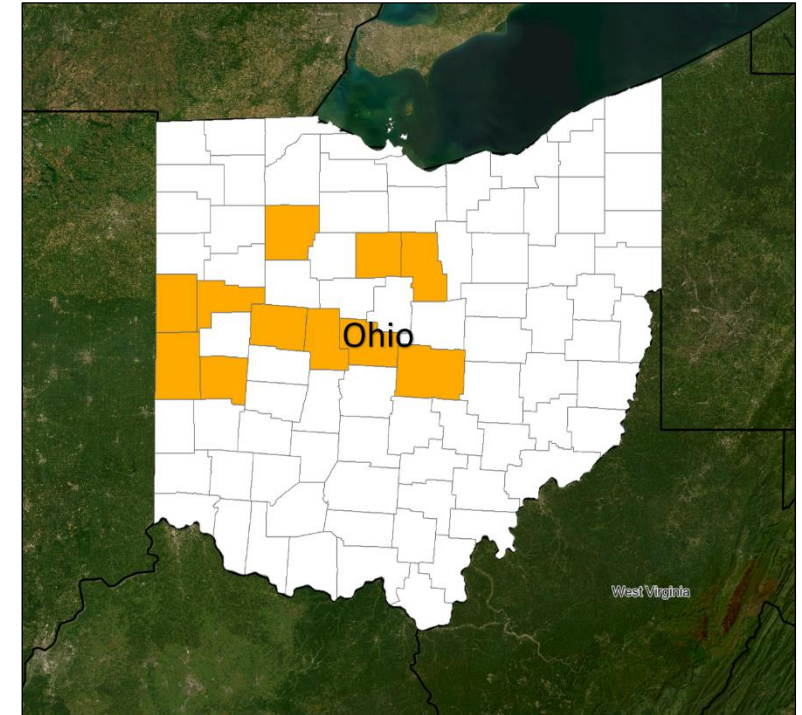
Requested: Mar 29

Incident: Tornadoes

Incident Period: Mar 14

Requested:

- **IA:** 11 counties
- **Hazard Mitigation:** Statewide



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Declaration Requests in Process – 14

State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
OH – Train Derailment	DR	X	X	X	Jul 3
AK – Severe Storms, Flooding, and Landslides	DR	X	X	X	Jan 8
IA – Severe Winter Storms and Snowstorm	DR		X	X	Feb 13
MBMI* – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		X	X	Mar 1
VT – Severe Winter Storm	DR		X	X	Mar 6
MA – Severe Storms and Flooding (APPEAL)	DR	X	X	X	Mar 11
OR – Severe Winter Storms, Straight-line Winds, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR		X	X	Mar 12
SBKN** – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		X	X	Mar 21
CA – Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Tornadoes	DR		X	X	Mar 22
HVT*** – Severe Winter Storm	DR	X	X	X	Mar 22
WA – Severe Winter Storms, Straight-line Winds, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR		X	X	Mar 22
KY – Severe Storm and Tornado	DR	X		X	Mar 27
NH – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		X	X	Mar 28
OH – Tornadoes	DR	X		X	Mar 29

* Morongo Band of Mission Indians | ** Sycuan Band of the Kumeyaay Nation | *** Hoopa Valley Tribe



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Public Assistance (PA) Grant Program Activity

PA Activity Summary			
Projects	\$286,680,821 Obligated in the Past Week		
	369 Projects Created	407 Projects Obligated	
Applicants	58 Requests for PA Received in the Past Week		
	73 RPAs Approved	0 RPAs Denied/Withdrawn	
Timeliness	Median Days from RPA to Initial Project Obligation (Goal: 365 Days)		
	COVID-19 Declarations		Non-COVID-19 Declarations
	1419 Days In Past Month 958 Days In Past 2 Years	365 Days In Past Month 352 Days In Past 2 Years	

This Week's Largest PA Obligations			
DR-4482-CA COVID-19	Region IX	\$94.9M	Cal OES Ventilators
DR-4482-CA COVID-19	Region IX	\$26.9M	California Laboratory Network - 7/2/2022 - 5/11/2023
DR-4520-WI COVID-19	Region V	\$22.3M	Staff Augmentation Oct 21 to Feb 22
DR-4559-LA Hurricane	Region VI	\$15.0M	System Wide Line Repair
DR-4491-MD COVID-19	Region III	\$10.8M	KFHP MAS March 2020 - June 2022 COVID Contract Labor
DR-4487-NC COVID-19	Region IV	\$9.5M	COVID-19 Emergency Protective Measures and Response #7

Most Active Declarations Per Amount Obligated in Past Week			
Declaration	Region	Obligated Last Week	Total Obligated
DR-4482-CA COVID-19	Region IX	\$128.7M	\$9.6B
DR-4520-WI COVID-19	Region V	\$23.3M	\$776.1M
DR-4671-PR Fiona	Region II	\$17.2M	\$728.9M
DR-4559-LA Hurricane	Region VI	\$16.6M	\$2.7B
DR-4491-MD COVID-19	Region III	\$15.7M	\$2.0B
DR-4339-PR Maria	Region II	\$14.0M	\$32.6B
DR-4500-CT COVID-19	Region I	\$11.5M	\$965.7M
DR-4487-NC COVID-19	Region IV	\$10.1M	\$1.6B
DR-4485-TX COVID-19	Region VI	\$8.5M	\$14.7B
DR-4615-NY Ida	Region II	\$8.0M	\$131.9M

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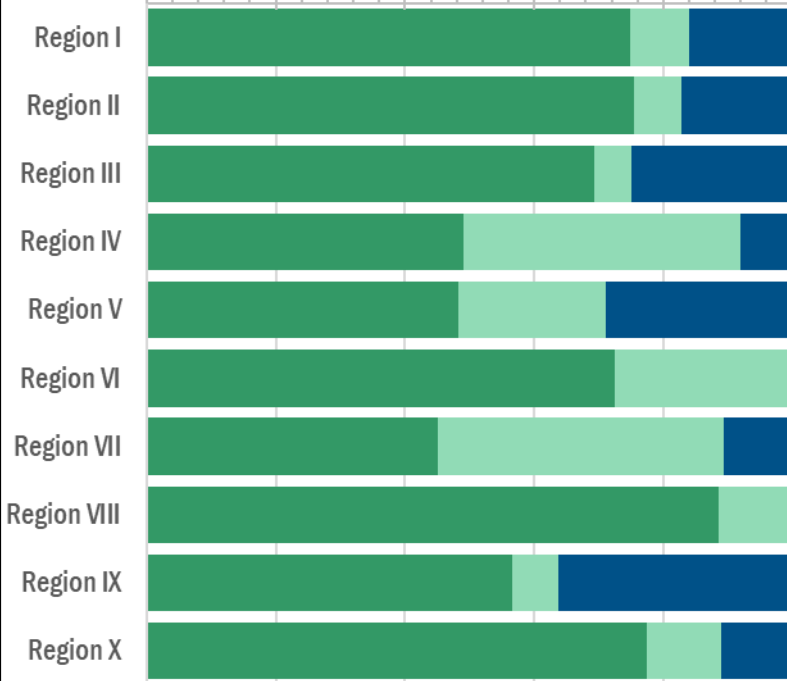
Public Assistance (PA) Grant Program Activity – per Region

Open Declaration Obligation Status

Percent of Total PA Estimate that has been Obligated or Closed – All Open PA Declarations

■ Closed Obligated Project Costs ■ Open Obligated Project Costs
■ Unobligated Estimated Costs

0% 20% 40% 60% 80% 100%



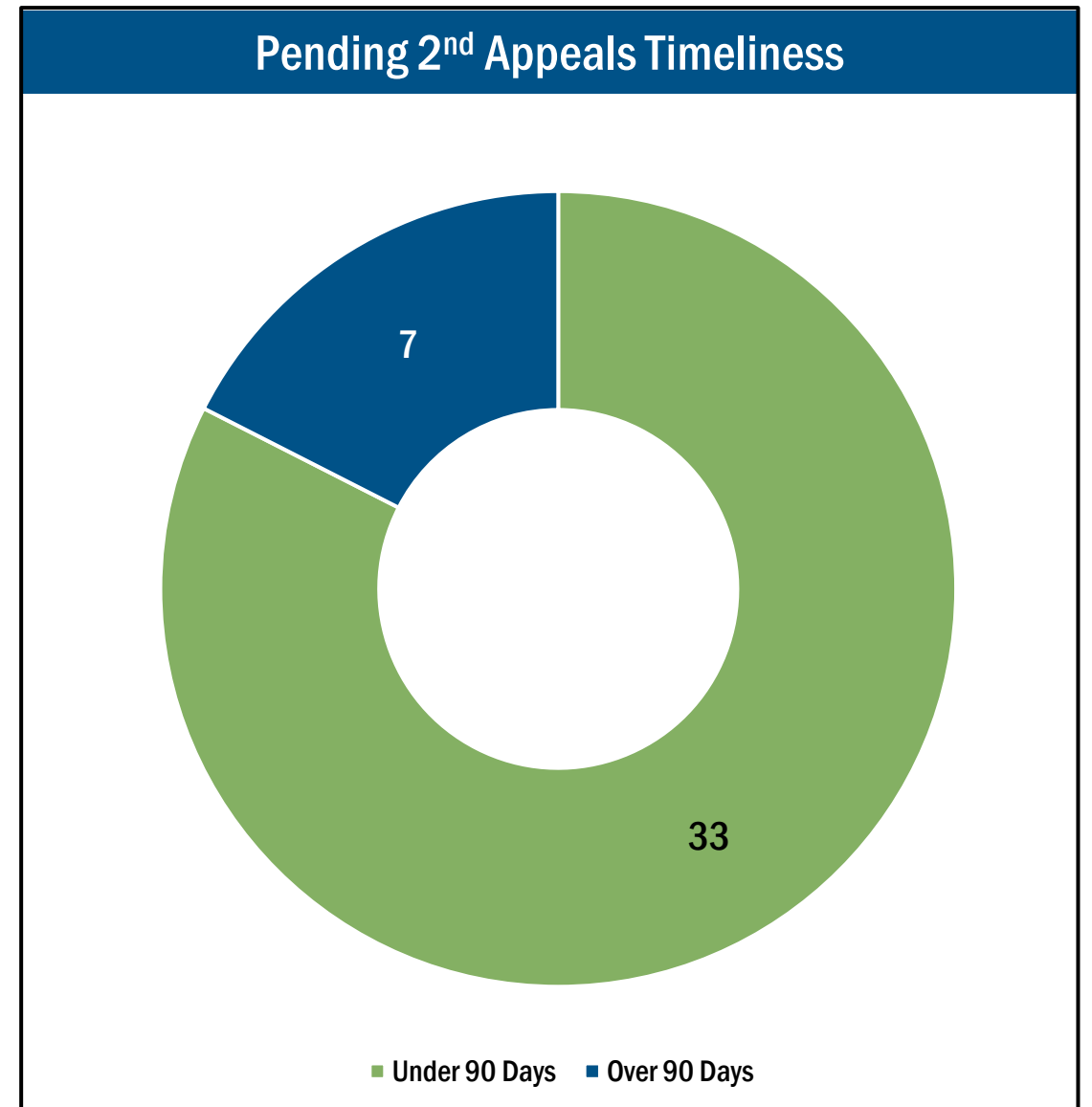
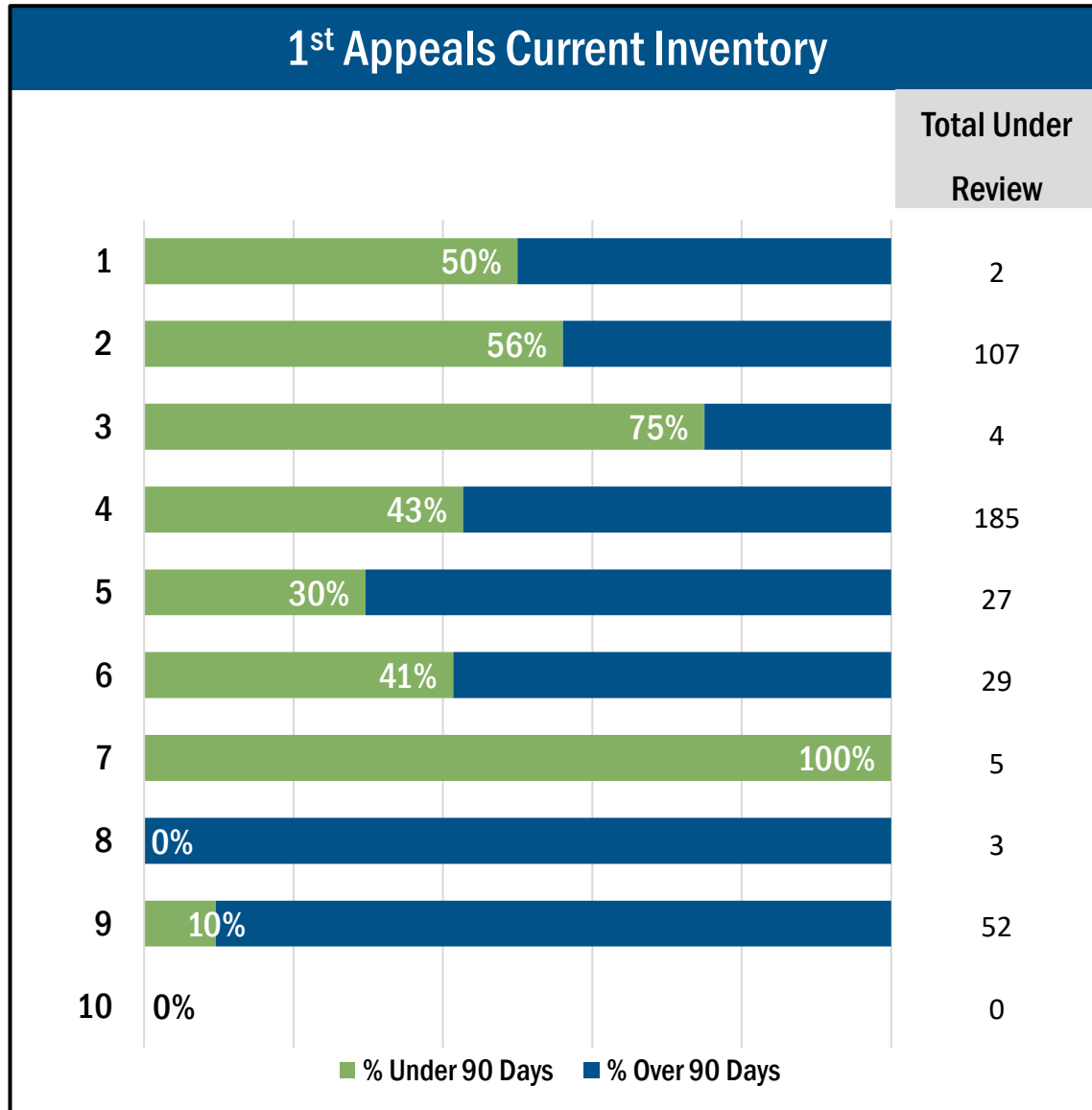
Total Estimated Cost of Open PA Declarations

Region I	\$8.7B
Region II	\$119.7B
Region III	\$11.0B
Region IV	\$37.7B
Region V	\$8.7B
Region VI	\$60.2B
Region VII	\$4.7B
Region VIII	\$4.8B
Region IX	\$32.4B
Region X	\$8.4B

PA Activity and Mitigation Use per Region

Region	Public Assistance		PA Mitigation					
	Total		Mitigation Projects Obligated			Mitigation Amount		
	Last Week	Last 2 Years	Last Week	Last 2 Years	% of Perm. Work 2 Yr.	Last Week	Last 2 Years	% of Perm. Work 2 Yr.
Region I	\$19.5M	\$3.7B	3	170	21.7%	\$46.7K	\$10.1M	20.9%
Region II	\$50.9M	\$24.4B	59	3,935	59.4%	\$31.2M	\$3.2B	30.8%
Region III	\$19.6M	\$3.1B	0	97	13.4%	\$0.0K	\$23.9M	21.2%
Region IV	\$22.2M	\$6.2B	3	1,318	16.3%	\$7.6K	\$73.2M	8.2%
Region V	-\$5277.2K	\$2.1B	0	189	13.6%	\$0.0K	\$9.1M	11.0%
Region VI	\$35.5M	\$6.4B	0	322	10.5%	\$0.0K	\$36.7M	2.0%
Region VII	-\$16.5K	\$874.8M	0	222	15.8%	\$0.0K	\$38.4M	22.6%
Region VIII	\$0.0K	\$988.1M	0	97	7.1%	\$0.0K	\$6.0M	3.8%
Region IX	\$132.9M	\$6.4B	1	168	16.8%	\$0.5K	\$4.0M	2.0%
Region X	\$11.3M	\$3.5B	0	115	9.7%	\$0.0K	\$70.3M	26.1%
Grand Total	\$286.7M	\$57.5B	66	6,633	25.9%	\$31.2M	\$3.5B	24.5%

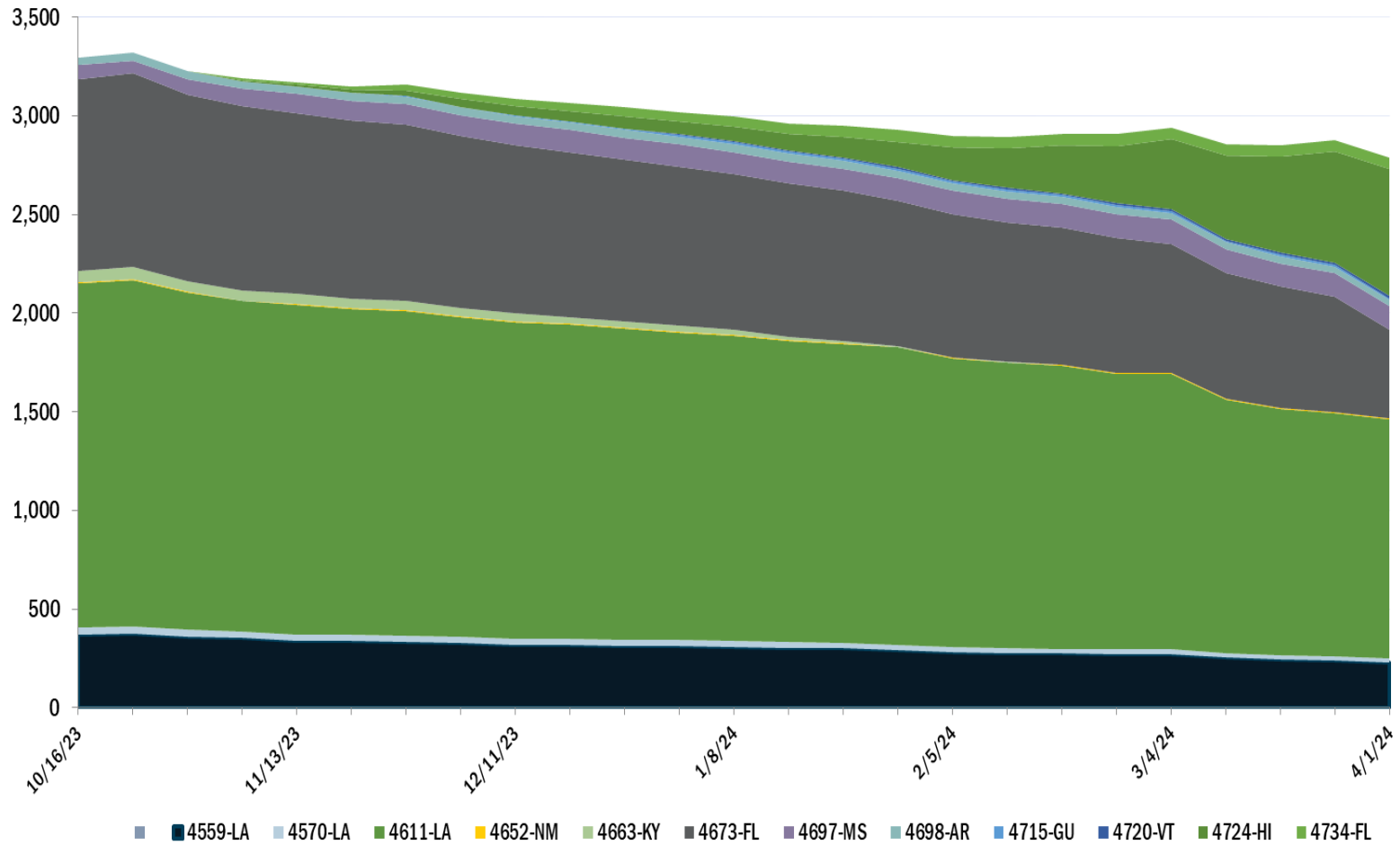
Public Assistance (PA) Appeals



Direct Housing

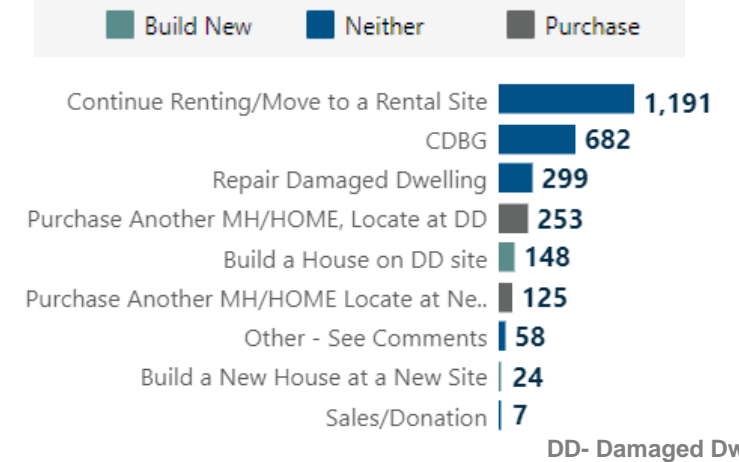
Total Households in FEMA Direct Housing per Disaster Declaration

There are currently **2,789** Households Occupying **2,868** Temporary Units



DR	Declaration Date	Assistance End Date	Current # of Households in Direct Housing (Weekly Change)
4734-FL	8/31/2023	2/28/2025	58 (-2)
4724-HI	8/10/2023	2/10/2025	645 (80)
4720-VT	7/14/2023	1/14/2025	11 (0)
4715-GU	5/25/2023	11/25/2024	7 (-1)
4698-AR	4/2/2023	10/2/2024	33 (0)
4697-MS	3/26/2023	9/26/2024	118 (-1)
4673-FL	9/29/2022	3/29/2024	450 (-135)
4663-KY	7/29/2022	1/29/2024	1 (0)
4652-NM	5/4/2022	11/4/2023	4 (0)
4611-LA	8/29/2021	6/1/2023	1213 (-21)
4570-LA	10/16/2020	4/16/2022	19 (0)
4559-LA	8/28/2020	2/28/2022	230 (-10)

Projected Housing Plans



Survivor Engagement

Weekly Call Center Activity			
41,610 (-3,340) Total Answered Calls			
18 Seconds (4)	Average Speed of Answer	98.3 (-.6%)	Answer Rate

Weekly Call Center Performance			
	Actual Calls (Offered)	Average Handle Time	Targeted Handle Time
Registration Intake:	6,645 (-1,778)	23:38 Minutes	20 Minutes
Helpline:	34,965 (-1,562)	11:16 Minutes	10 Minutes

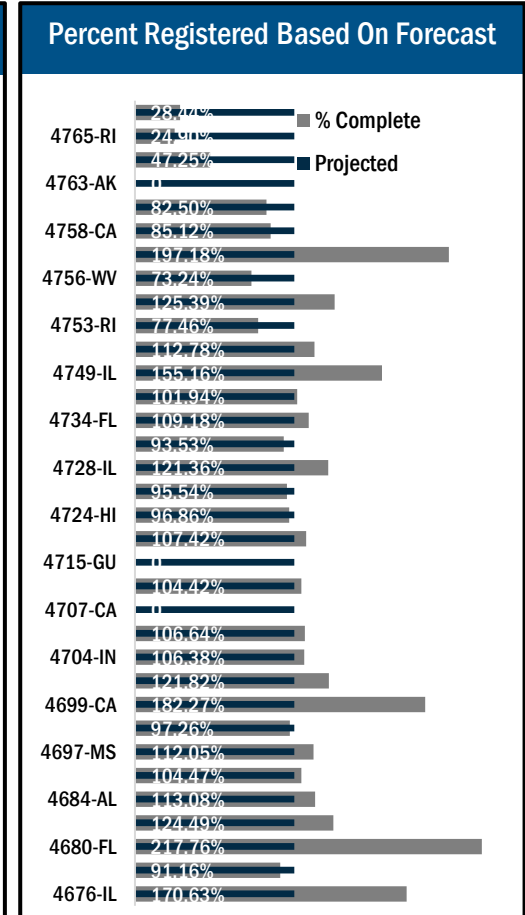
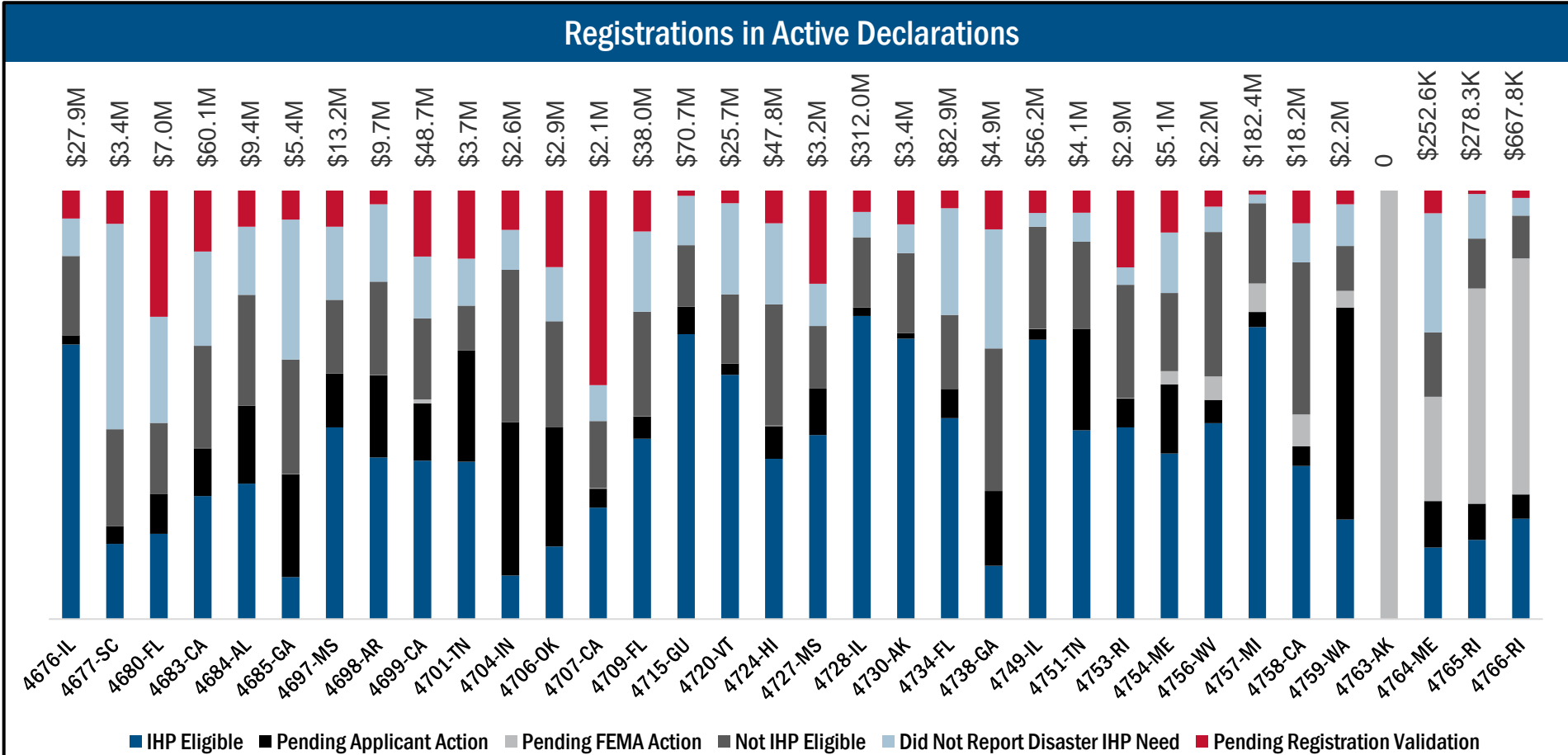
Total Inspections Reporting for DR with Open Registration							
DR	Declaration Date	Inspections Required	Assigned	Returned (Weekly Change)		Pending	Percentage Completed
4754-ME	1/30/2024	130	129	58	-24	71	44.96%
4756-WV	1/30/2024	47	42	12	-12	30	28.57%
4757-MI	2/8/2024	13,587	13,372	9,465	1,456	3907	70.78%
4758-CA	2/19/2024	529	516	172	20	344	33.33%
4759-WA	2/15/2024	18	18	2	10	16	11.11%
4764-ME	3/20/2024	142	140	65	-58	75	46.43%
4765-RI	3/20/2024	172	172	62	-56	110	36.05%
4766-RI	3/20/2024	384	384	140	-133	244	36.46%
TOTAL:		15,009	14,773	9,976	1,203	4797	38.46%

DSA Deployed	
1,285	Registrations Taken In Current Week
290	Staff Deployed

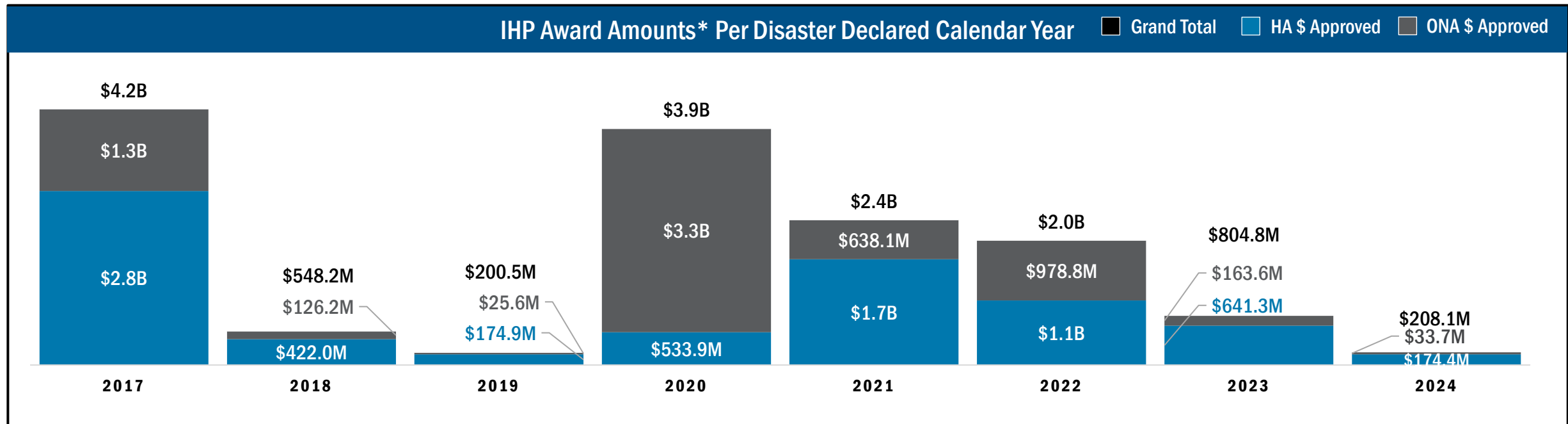
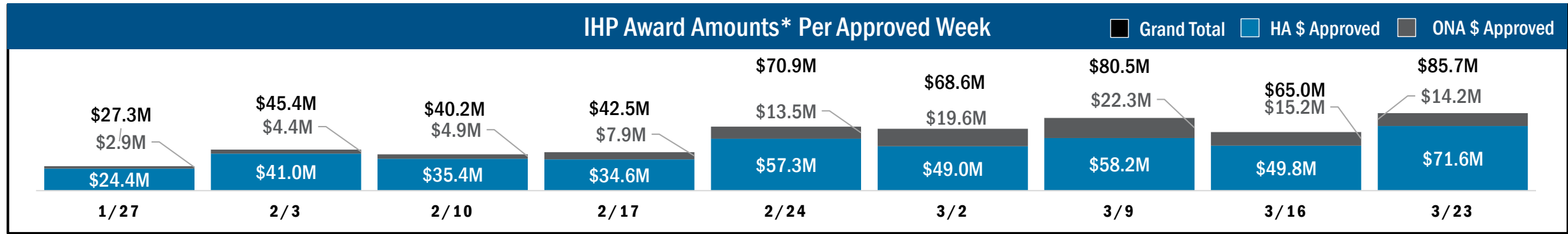
Individual Assistance (IA) Activity

Assistance Overview			
Total Registrations:	Median Award:	Applicants Paid:	Total Assistance Provided:
535,459	\$1,712	282,434	\$1,058,277,266

Transitional Sheltering Assistance (TSA)		
Eligible Disaster NA	Cumulative Eligible for TSA:	Current Eligible in Extended Period:
	0	0



Individual Assistance (IA) Activity



*IHP award amounts does not include covid dollars



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